



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Benewah , Idaho [16009]**

Benewah is one of 44 counties in Idaho. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2000 population of 9,193 ranked 28th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Benewah had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$20,217. This PCPI ranked 23rd in the state and was 84 percent of the state average, \$24,079, and 68 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 2.6 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 5.7 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Benewah was \$13,932 and ranked 25th in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.4 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Benewah had a total personal income (TPI) of \$185,854\*. This TPI ranked 27th in the state and accounted for 0.6 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Benewah was \$110,676\* and ranked 26th in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 3.7 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 7.6 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 7.0 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Benewah. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 61.4 percent of TPI (compared with 66.1 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 18.2 percent (compared with 16.4 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 20.3 percent (compared with 17.5 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings decreased 0.7 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 9.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 14.0 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 4.6 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 6.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.9 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Benewah decreased from \$135,708\* in 1999 to \$133,580\* in 2000, a decrease of 1.6 percent. The 1999-2000 state change was 8.0 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$89,864\* to the 2000 estimate was 4.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.9 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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